

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
MCALLEN DIVISION**

SOCRATES SHAWN	§	
	§	
<i>Plaintiff,</i>	§	
v.	§	CIVIL ACTION NO. 7:22-cv-00116
	§	
CITY OF PROGRESO, TEXAS; CESAR	§	JURY TRIAL DEMANDED
SOLIS, in his individual and official	§	
capacity; and ERNESTO LOZANO, in his	§	
individual and official capacity	§	
	§	
<i>Defendants.</i>	§	

**PLAINTIFF SOCRATES SHAWN’S UNOPPOSED MOTION TO WITHDRAW
RICARDO A. GARZA AS COUNSEL OF RECORD**

Plaintiff Socrates Shawn respectfully moves to withdraw Ricardo A. Garza with the Texas Civil Rights Project (“TCRP”) as attorney in this case. Ricardo A. Garza will no longer be an attorney with TCRP after February 3, 2023. His withdrawal will not cause undue delay and will not adversely affect the interests of the Plaintiff.

Plaintiff will continue to be represented by Attorneys Erin Thorn, Travis Fife and Laura Peña with TCRP. Erin Thorn will remain the designated Attorney-in-Charge in this case.

For these reasons, Plaintiff respectfully requests the withdrawal of Ricardo A. Garza as counsel in this case.

Dated: February 1, 2023.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF CONFERENCE

I, Ricardo A. Garza, hereby certify that on January 26, 2023, I communicated with Defendants' counsel J. Arnold Aguilar by email (arnold@aguilarzabartellc.com) regarding this Motion, and he stated that the Defendants are not opposed to this motion.

/s/ Ricardo A. Garza
Ricardo A. Garza

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Ricardo A. Garza, hereby certify that on February 1, 2023, I filed the foregoing Plaintiff Socrates Shawn's Unopposed Motion to Withdraw Ricardo A. Garza as Counsel of Record via the Court's CM/ECF electronic filing system, which will serve a copy on all counsel of record.

/s/ Ricardo A. Garza

Ricardo A. Garza